

PATENT

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In re Application of:

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For: OPTICAL ARTICLE COVERED WITH A
VISIBLE-ABSORBING, MULTI-LAYER
ANTI-REFLECTIVE COATING, AND
PRODUCTION METHOD THEREOF

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

Applicants respectfully submit this Preliminary Amendment in the above-referenced case. Consideration of this application in view of the amendments made herein is respectfully requested.

Amendments to the specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of the claims beginning on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.